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In re Application of Shigemasa TAKAGI

Application No.: 09/914,804 PCT No.: PCT/JP00/09334

Int. Filing Date: 27 December 2000

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Attorney Docket No.: CONDA.00001

For: RUBBER COATED STRANDS; BELT,

PLY, AND TIRE USING RUBBER

COATED STRANDS; AND

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR

MANUFACTURING THEM

DECISION ON PETITION

UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

The petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed 30 August 2001 in the above-captioned application is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

The appropriate petition fee for a small entity as required by 37 CFR 1.17(m) has been submitted.

All of the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) for revival have been submitted. Applicant's statement that "the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" meets the requirements under 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) at the time of filing this petition. A review of the declaration of the inventor submitted with the petition reveals that it is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497.

Applicant's claim for priority is acknowledged. The application has an international filing date of 27 December 2000 under 35 U.S.C. 363 and a date of 30 August 2001 under 35 U.S.C. 371.

The request to revive the application abandoned under 35 U.S.C. 371(d) is granted as to the National stage in the United States of America.



The application is being forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office for processing in accordance with this decision, that is, for issuance of a Notification of Acceptance of Application under 35 U.S.C. 371(c) and 37 CFR 1.494 (Form PCT/DO/EO/903) and for preparation and mailing of a filing receipt.

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